BATHERING OF ODD FELLOWS GREAT MEETING

Past Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Connecticut I. O. O. F., William T. Meyer, who, as representative from this state, attended the annual convention of the Sovereign Grand Lodge in Boston, has just returned and reports the convention as being the biggest and most successboth in actual numbers present, ful both in actual numbers present, in the enthusiasm shown and results accomplished, ever held by the order.

Joseph Oliver, of Toronto, Canada, was elected Grand Sire for a term of two years. Mr. Oliver is a very prominent citizen of Canada having been Mayor of Toronto twice, a member of the Canadian Parliament, and served during the war as chairman on one of the British Commissions. on one of the British Commissions He is in the lumber business, his con-cern being one of the largest in the Dominion.

Dominion.

Mr. Meyer was named as one of the members of the Committee on Legislation. Leon S. Merrill, of Orono, Maine, was the chairman of this committee which has twelve members. Positions on this committee are coveted for it is one of the most responsible committees coming before it as there does for consideration every matter and resolution which is intended to be submitted to the convention for action.

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It was an especial distinction this year for the retiring Grand Sire, Henry V. Borst of Amsterdam N. Y. had just returned from an extended trip in Australia and New Zealand in the interests of the order and recommended considerable broad and comprehensive legislation connected with international relations which was enacted.

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In speaking of the convention as a whole Mr. Meyer said: "The parade on Wednesday the 29th was the big feature from a spectacular point of view. Hoston made a half holiday for it. There were actually over 40,-000 men in position in it. The Boston papers estimated it all the way from forty to fifty thousand. One very unusual thing about it was the fact that after it started it did not stop once. Very few parades that I ever saw, and I have seen a good many large ones, but what had to stop for some reason or other, but this one made no stop whatever from the time the first man passed the grand stand until the last one had followed him and this took five hours. Neither did I ever, even in political campaigns, hear so much applause and cheering.

"The parade was headed with from twelve to fifteen thousand Knights Militant in full regalla led by Maj. Gen. W. C. Gurney and staff. The Grand Sire under a special canopy surrounded by his officers and the representatives, reviewed the parade on Commonwealth avenue. The governor of Massachusetts and state of-ficials reviewed it from a stand

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opposite the State House. Quantities
of flowers were showered on the
Grand Sire and other officers.
"Following the marchers were
floats and hundreds of decorations of
a magnificent character, silk banners,
etc. One of the most striking floats
was from Vermont and was completely covered with expensive hot house
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'In the evening following the parade there were two hours of fireworks on the Charles River. These were very beautiful and interesting. There were many set pieces, one especially large one with the words of the order's motto 'friendship, love truth' and for a grand finale five hundred bombs were fired at once.

"There were special entertainment every afternoon and evening for all branches of the order and many con-

ferences for the exchanging of courtesies and ideas. "The committee on arrangements hired the exclusive use of the Copley theatre for Thursday evening, the thirtieth, and the representatives and visitors saw one of Bernard Shaw's worked special degrees for the enter-

plays. Many of the local lodges worked special degrees for the entertainment of the guests. This was done principally at the National theatre.

"On Sunday afternoon there was an impressive special service in the chapel of Trinity church on Copley Square. There was a vested choir of over a hundred. Admission was by card and the men attended in full uniform and the Bishop addressed them on the topic of 'Friendship.'

"On Saturday, the 25th, the whole company was taken to Plymouth by boat, and was entertained by the city. On arrival we were welcomed in a speech by the Mayor of Plymouth which was responded to by the Grand Sire. These formalities over the gates were unlocked and we were allowed to walk across historic Plymouth Rock. This is a privilege seldom granted. After this the company was divided up into groups of about a hundred each and under the leadership of competent guides these groups were taken about the town and shown the points of interest.

"Dinner was served in four different places at once and about a hundred and fifty were cared for in each place at a time. After an interesting day in Plymouth we had a sail back to Boston by moonlight.

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day in Plymouth we had a sail back to Boston by moonlight.

"Reports showed that the I. O. O. F. as an organization was never in such good shape as now both in point of membership and resources. Including the Rebekah Sisters the membership is above two million three hundred thousand and makes the Odd Fellows the largest fraternal organization in the world."

DAYLIGHT LAW HARD TO REPEAL IN BAY STATE

(By International News Service.)
Boston, Oct. 6—The State Department of Agriculture, which has been seeking the repeal of daylight saving, has bumped up against the fact that daylight saving will doubtless be with

has bumped up against the fact that daylight saving will doubtless be with us for two more years at least.

The act "to restore to the citizens of Massachusetts the benefits of daylight saving," provides in section 2:

"At 2 o'clock of the last Sunday of March of each year, beginning with the year 1921, the standard time in this commonwealth shall be advanced one hour."

The only way in which the law can be altered or repealed is by act of Legislature. If the Legislature either at the special session to be held in November or at the regular session in 1921, should repeal the law, the action of the Legislature can be halted by recourse to the initiative and referendum.

A petition under the I and R., supported by 15,000 signers, would submit the Legislature's repeal act to the voters "at the next regular election," which will be held in 1922. Meanwhile the daylight saving law would continue in operation.

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FLASHES

Thomas Marro, leader of bandits who robbed Portland National bank on Aug. 21 of \$12,000, received a sen-tence of from 20 to 28 years in state's prison in the Sperior court at Middle-town yesterday. The jury was out less than 10 minutes.

State Board of Education met at the Capitol yesterday and discussed asking the legislature for an increase in the "support of schools" appropria-tion towards teachers' larger salaries.

Bishop Thomas D. Beaven, for 28 years head of the Roman Catholic diocese of Springfield, Mass., died yesterday afternoon after but a day's illness with heart troube. lHe was 71

Federal Trade Commission sitting at Washington, hears high prices are the result of the trade practice of the manufacturer's guarantee.

Report says neither MacSwiney's family nor authorities seriously con-cerned over Lord Mayor's condition.

As result of aero tragedy at Hart ford Golf club on Sunday plans are being made for an aviation field which will make Hartford a center for avia-

Cleveland baseball players vote to give full share of the receipts in the World's Series to the widow of Ray

Abe Attell, wanted in connection with the inquiry into the 1919 World's Series, has been found and agreed to call on District Attorney Swann today.

The meeting of the claims commit the meeting of the chains commit-tee of the Common Council sched-uled for Friday night, has been postponed until Oct. 15, owing to the fact that the Republican conven-tion is scheduled for Friday.

Hartford Y. W. C. A. is given a trust fund of \$520,000 available in five years, and half a tract of land recently bought from the Hartford was announced in a letter read before the association last night from the late Samuel Avery.

Principal and professors of Prince of Wales College in Charlottetown, of Wales College in Charlotte Canada strike for higher wages.

William D. Haywood and 92 other I. W. W.'s must serve their sentences, the Circuit Court of Appeals in Chi-cago decided yesterday. Haywood as the head, is to serve 20 years and pay a fine of \$10,000.

The death of C. N. Williamson, popular novelist, at Bath England, is announced

Governors of 27 states have an nounced Fire Prevention Day on October 9.

A. B. Meredith, secretary of the State Board of Education, asserts that the teacher problem is partly solved and that many instructors are re-turning to the schools. Says outlook is much brighter.

At a recent meeting of the Board of Apportionment, the Board of Edu-cation was granted the sum of \$7,500 to be used for new teachers.

Italians of this city will hold a mass meeting on Sunday afternoon in Armory A. A. hall. Prof. Goletta of New York will speak on the campaign for the relief of earthquake sufferers in Italy which is to start next Monday.

ELEVEN MILLION FOR EDUCATION

Nashville, Tenn., Oct. 6—Eleven million dollars for new buildings and equipment will be spent on the edu-cational institutions owned by Southern Baptists during the next four years, it is announced at the head-quarters of that organization here. Approximately the same amount will be spent during that period in lifting be spent during that period in lifting the debts upon those institutions and increasing their endowment funds.

Of this building fund, \$2,275,000 will go to what are known as the Southwide Institutions, including the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary at Louisville, Ky., Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Fort Worth, Texas; Baptist Bible Institute, New Orleans, La, and Bantist Theo-New Orleans, La., and Baptist Theological Seminary for Negroes at Nashville, Tenn., while there will be expended upon new buildings at the Baptist colleges within the several states comprising the territory of the Southern Baptist convention the fol-

Southern Baptist convention the following amounts:
Alabama \$275,000; Arkansas, \$525,000; Georgia, \$450,000; Southern II-linois, \$115,000; Kentucky \$30,000; Louisiana \$400,000; Mississippi \$575,000; Missouri \$600,000; North Carolina \$95,000; Oklahoma \$300,000; South Carolina \$725,000; Tennessee \$530,000; Texas \$2,250,000; and Virginia \$570,000.

More than 20,000 pupils have enrolled in the Baptist schools and seminaries of the South this session, all of the institutions reporting the heaviest registrations in their history.

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89 NEW CHAPLAINS.

Washington, Oct. 6 - Appointment of 89 new chaplains for the regular army in conformity with the new reorganization law providing one chaplain for each 1,200 officers and men, was announced today by Adjutant General Harris.

IMPORTS OF MILLION

Washington, Oct. 6.Japan imported one million dollars worth of German dyes during August, according to reports received today by the Departnent of Commerce.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL MUST BE TAKEN MORE SERIOUSLY

Tokio, Oct. 6—There are more than 300,000 Sunday schools in the world with a total enrollment of more than 33,000,000 pupils, said Marion Lawrance of Chicago, general secretary of the International Sunday School Association in an address here today. sociation, in an address here today before the World's Sunday School convention.

The speaker declared that the Sunday school as an institution was eftering upon a new phase of development due to a "divine discontent" which had settled down upon the churches. The church, he said, had come to realize that it must, take the Sunday school far more seriously than in the past if it is to hold its own or make any progress.

Outlining the Sunday school of the

future, Mr. Lawrance said a school that represents a church thoroughly organized for its educational tasks would embody certain principles, perhaps, as follows:
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tematically as a bank or a departm "There will be in every church

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sommittee on religious education which shall thoroughly represent all of the activities and departments of the church.

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"No teachers in the school who are not thoroughly qualified for their positions by having taken special training for them.

"The training process so worked into the curriculum that pupil train-

for them.

"The training process so worked into the curriculum that pupil training leads directly to teacher training, than at present.

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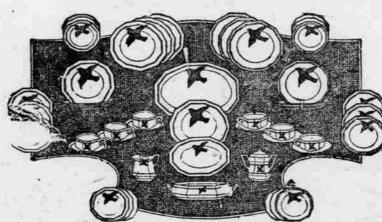
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Mr. Lawrance said that between 2,500,000 and 3,000,000 persons were now engaged in Sunday school work as officials or teachers.

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HER LANDLORD'S HEART

(By International News Service.)
St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 6.—The aid of God in "softening the heart" of a landlord who had raised his rent beyoud the means of a woman tenant was asked in a prayer at Christ Church Cathedral here during a heal-ing mission. The woman wrote a let-ter to the mission in which she de-clared she was about to be evicted because she was unable to meet the in-creased rent.

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